

December 16, 2012

The Honorable Julius Genachowski, Chairman
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: DA 12-1863, IB Docket No. 12-340; RM-11683

Dear Chairman Genachowski:

The Federal Communications Commission is currently considering a License Modification Application from LightSquared. I hope that after your review you will approve the request.

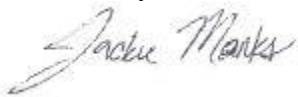
I have a fairly lengthy commute, over two hours to my job, and having access to reliable cell service is important both for convenience and safety. The more options available to consumers for mobile broadband service will benefit all of us, especially commuters.

Another benefit for consumers by increasing competition is that by approving LightSquared's application the consumer stands a much better chance of having a more reasonable cost for service. Competition also drives innovation. I am old enough to remember bag phones and the changes in the industry since that time are mind boggling.

For safety, competition and innovation; I ask that LightSquared be allowed to proceed. We will all benefit by this added option.

Thank you for your time on this important issue.

Sincerely,



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